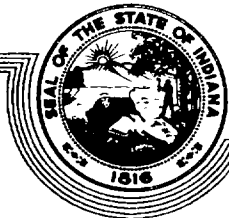


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CAUSE NO. 41873

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT PETITION OF)
LINCOLN UTILITIES, INC. AND INDIANA WATER)
SERVICE, INC. FOR AN ORDER APPROVING AND)
AUTHORIZING LINCOLN UTILITIES, INC. TO SELL)
ALL OF ITS WATER DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES)
INDIANA WATER SERVICE, INC. AND)
APPROVING AN ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT IN)
CONNECTION THEREWITH)

You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

On June 5, 2003, the presiding officers met with counsel for Lincoln Utilities and counsel for the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor ("OUCC") to set up a procedural schedule for this Cause following its remand from the Indiana Court of Appeals.

After some discussion, the parties agreed upon the following schedule:

1. Petitioner should prefile its case-in-chief on or before July 3, 2003;
2. The OUCC should prefile its case-in-chief on or before August 28, 2003;
3. Petitioner's rebuttal testimony should be prefiled on or before September 19, 2003; and
4. An evidentiary hearing should be convened in this Cause beginning on October 2, 2003 at 9:30 a.m. in Room E-306 of the Commission's offices.
5. Discovery should be conducted on an informal basis and objections and responses will be due in seven (7) business days. Once the OUCC has filed its case-in-chief, the time period for responses and objections will be reduced to five (5) business days. The parties further agree that any filing made after 12:00 noon will be deemed filed on the following business day.

The presiding officers will publish notice for a prehearing conference to take place on July 9, 2003 at 10:30 a.m. in Room E-306 of the Commission's offices. If no other persons appear, it is the presiding officers' intention to adopt the above procedural schedule at that prehearing conference.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

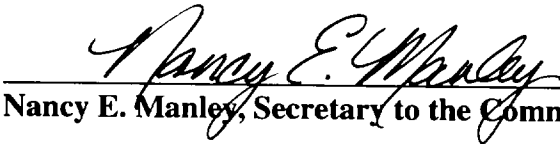


David E. Ziegner, Commissioner



**Gregory S. Colton, Administrative
Law Judge**

Date: 6/17/03



Nancy E. Manley, Secretary to the Commission